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Description: f. 1 - Bequest of Henry C. Taylor, 1971.

Notes:-Manuscript on paper of a letter by the famous seaman Francis Drake (c. 1540-1596) to the young Robert Devereux, 2nd Earl of Essex (1566-1601), favourite of Queen Elizabeth, concerning a common plan for a raid against Spanish shipping.

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Part 1:

Description: - paper - 340 x 240 mm.

Country: England Cardinal point:

Region: England (Plymouth) City:

Assigned Date: 1588. Searchable Date Range: 1588 - 1588

Dated by scribe: NoInscribed Date:Document: NoNumber of Scribes:

Script: Written in Gothica Cursiva Currens (Secretary), the signature only in Drake's hand.

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Author: Drake, Francis Sir 1540?-1596. *Title:* Letter signed to the Earl of Essex.

Subjects: Drake, Francis, Sir, 1540?-1596.; Essex, Robert Devereux, Earl of, 1566-1601.; Manuscripts, Medieval-

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